

Message from the Organizing Committee
of the 2012 3rd International Conference on Environmental Science and
Development (ICESD 2012)

On behalf of the organising committee, it is my pleasure to extend a warm welcome to all delegates to the 2012 3rd International Conference on Environmental Science and Development (ICESD 2012), Hong Kong.

The ICESD conference offers researchers from all over the world the opportunity to meet with colleagues, exchange research ideas and share new knowledge. The conference is organised by Asia-Pacific Chemical, Biological & Environmental Engineering Society (APCBEEES).

The 2012 Conference features a strong technical program including technical sessions and keynote addresses, that cover topics of current interest in the area of Environmental Science and Development including Biochemical Engineering, Biotechnology, Product Engineering in the Bio Industries, Self-organisation in the Bio-sciences and elsewhere, Delivery of the final product, Biotechnology applied to production of new and better quality food, Biological natural resource engineering, Bioprocess and Biosystems, Biotechnology for Livestock, Pests and Aquaculture, Cutting Edge Science for Future Animal Agriculture, Ecological Engineering, Emerging technologies in Agriculture and Livestock, Energy in agriculture, Environmental constraints to animal agriculture, Food Engineering and biotechnology, Food safety and Bio-process engineering, Food traceability and safety, GPS and GIS technologies, Industry Transformation - Case Studies and Livestock Biotechnology.

We have received more than 140 papers from all over the world which were peer-reviewed and finally 61 papers from 20 countries have been accepted for the presentation at the conference. We are convinced that this unique gathering of experts will guarantee rich, useful, and effective deliberations.

Finally, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all members of the organising committee, the technical program committee, keynote speakers, and reviewers for their dedication and contribution to the conference; without their tireless work, the conference would not be a success. I would like to thank in particular, Prof. Richard Haynes, Prof. Bogdan Zygmunt and Dr. Li Xuan for their extra hard work in ensuring that the smooth operation of the conference.

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